

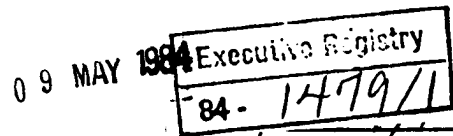
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MEMORANDUM FOR: The Honorable Richard D. DeLauer  
Under Secretary of Defense, Research and  
Engineering

SUBJECT: Recommendation to Defer the IR&DC Study  
of R&D in Support of Counterterrorism

REFERENCE: Your Memo to the DCI, dtd 2 Apr 1984,  
Same Subject

1. I concur in your recommendation to defer for an indefinite period of time the IR&DC study of R&D in support of counter-terrorism. Our earlier plans have been overtaken by the issuance of

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2. I have instructed the NIO for Counterterrorism to develop a comprehensive, coordinated action plan to fulfill my community responsibilities as outlined in NSDD-138. This action plan will address resource requirements and will be delivered to the NSPG by 31 May 1984. It will include requirements for R&D. I recommend that we make a judgement about future R&D studies on the basis of this action plan.

/s/ Bill

William J. Casey  
Director of Central Intelligence

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